News Notes and Gossip of Washington Smart Set

Rems of Interest and Impor-

The artist, Miss Louise Llewellyn, is the daughter of the late governor of

State on her left. This will be Mrs. Marshall's first appearance at an evening function since her recent illness.

Col. and Mrs. Edward Brown, of At-Col. and Mrs. Edward Brown, of Atlanta, are expected to arrive at the White House this afternoon to attend the dinner, and among the guests will also be the President's sister. Mrs. Howe, and Mrs. Cothran, who are visiting at the Executive Mansion.

Cally of Sons of Confederate Veterans, will make the presentations.

Mrs. Julia L. Sanders, of New York, entertained Mrs. Samuel L. Gompers and Miss Gompers together with Mrs. Harry Hastings, of New York, at luncheon today at the Shoreham. The table was profusely decorated with flowers.

Mrs. Thomas F. Walsh, who returned to Washington yesterday, entertained at a luncheon today at the New Wilat a luncheon today at the New Willard, where she has taken an apartment for the season. The guests were
Mrs. Thomas R. Marshall, Mrs. Lindley M. Garrison, Mrs. A. S. Eurleson,
Mrs. Josephus Paniels, Mrs. John Barton Payne, Mrs. Julian James, Mrs.
John Henderson, Mrs. James W. Wadsworth, Jr., Mfs. Hunt Slater, Miss Mory
Eatten, Mrs. Edmund Pendelton, Mrs.
Lohn F. Sheforth Mrs. Charles S. Eatten, Mrs. Edmund Pendelton, Mrs.
John F. Shafroth, Mrs. Charles S.
Thomas, Mrs. John Foster, Mrs. Seaton Schroeder, Mrs. Thomas E-ving,
Mrs. Steven Gsborne, Mme. Bakhmeteff, Mrs. James W. Wadsworth, sr.,
Mrs. Arthur Lee, Mrs. Charles Spauiding, Mrs. Oscar Underwood, Mrs. Corran Thom, Mrs. Charles Walcott,
Mrs. Mahlon Fitney Mrs. Henry F.
Demock, Miss Helen Cannon, and Mrs.
William Hailey Lamar. William Bailey Lamar.

Miss Agnes Hart Wilson was hostess at a luncheon today when her guests included Mrs. John Is. Dinsmore. Mrs. Alfred Hampton. Mrs. Royal Meeker, Miss Julia Lathrep. Mrs. Ethelbert Stewart, Mrs. Idebard Campbell, Mrs. Raymond Crist, Miss Helen Sumner, Mrs. Hugh Kerwin, Mrs. Samuel J. Gempers, Miss Edna Logan. of Corlisle, Pa. who is visiting Miss Wilson; Miss Wilson; mother. Mrs. William B. Wilson, wife of the Secretary of Labor, and her sister, Miss Mary Ellen Wilson. Miss Wilson will receive tomorrow.

Miss Wilson will receive tomerrow afternoon for her mother, Mrs. William B. Wilson, at the home of the Secretary of Labor, in Wyoming avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Gist Blair will leave Washington tonight for a trip South which will include visits in Florida

Colonel and Mrs. Chester Harding have come to Washington from Panama and are guests of W. P. G. Harding, of the Federal Reserve Board, for a week, after which they will visit Col. and Mrs. E. E. Winslow.

Pay Inspector and Mrs. John H. Mer riam will entertain a large company at dinner tonight at the Alibi Club. Among the guests who are expected are Senator and Mrs. James W. Walsworth, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wilson. Assistant Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Franklin Roosevelt, and Dr. and

Mrs. Louis Lehr. Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Eichelberger will entertain at dinner on the even-ing of January 18 at the University Club before the fortnightly dance Miss Elisabeth Eichelberger will be hostess at a party Saturday after-noon from 3 to 6 o'clock at her home in Bancroft place in celebration of

Dr. Rosalie Slaughter Morton, of New York, who came to Washington for the meeting vesterday of the Woman's Evening Clinic of which Mrs. John Hays Hammond is president, is stopping at the Willard. Other interesting arrivals there are Mr. and Mrs. Henry St. George Tucker, of Lexington, Va.: rivals there are Mr. and Mrs. Henry St. Gecrge Tucker, of Lexington. Va.: Walven Greyerz, of Stockholm: Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Warner, of Taveh, Formosa: A. P. Burgwin, of Pittsburgh: William de Forest Haynee, of Islip, N. Y.: Mr. and Mrs. Nisbet Wingfield and Miss. Lisa Fargo, of Augusta. Ga.: Mrs. J. Malcolm Forbes and Mrs. Fannie Fern Andrews. of Boston, and Dr. James A. Randall. U. S. N.

Mrs. Edmund Compton and daughter, Miss Mary Key Compton, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. William S. Chichester, in Woodville. Md.

Capt. Charles Henry Harlow, U. S. A and Mrs. Harlow will have as their guest Mrs. Hugh Macnell, of Los Angeles. Cal., where she is prominent socially. Mrs. Macnell will reach Washington Thursday and will reach Washington ington Thursday, and will reach washington Thursday, and will remain about two weeks. Captain and Mrs. Harlow will entertain at a bridge party in her honor January 21. Mrs. Harlow will be at home informally on Thursday after-

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Much interest is centered in the card
party to be given at the Cairo, on the
afternoon of January 14, by the District
of Columbia Division, United Daughters
of the Confederacy. Miss Pansle C.
Willson, chairman of the division entertainment committee, has charge of
the arrangements, and Miss Alice Theobald, of the Winnie Davis Chapter, U.
D. C., has charge of the tables. A
large number of tables have been reserved.

Among the patronesses, most of whom Among the patronesses, most of whom have reserved tables, are Mrs. Franklin G. Odenheimer, president general of the United Daughters of the Confederacy; Mrs. Maude Howell-Smith, president of the District Division, U. D. C.; Mrs. Claude Swanson, Mrs. Josephus Daniels, Mrs. Bates Warren, Mrs. Elisha Meredith, Mrs. J. Willard Ragsdale, Mrs. Claude Bennett, Miss Naunie Randolph Heth, Mrs. R. B. Dear, Mrs. R. Casanave Willson, Mrs. George Theobald,

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President and Mrs. Wilson, who will inaugurate the state dinners of the season this evening when they entertain in honor of the members of the Cabinet, are following the precedent of the last Administration in having a musical program to follow the dinner. The artist, Miss Louise Liewellyn, is

nett.
The entertainment committee is the daughter of the late governor of Kansas. She is a singer of folk songs. There will be about fifty guests at this evening's hospitality. Mrs. Marshall, wife of the Vice President, will be seated at the President's right, and Mrs. Robert Lansing on his left, while Mrs. Wilson will have the Vice President on her right, and the Secretary of State of the Wilson Will be Mrs.

guerite Naylor, and Miss Margaret Trin:ble.

Mrs. Brent Moore and Mrs. Carring-ton Foster will serve punch.

Everett Brockman, commandant of camp of Sons of Confederate Veterans,

Dr. Laura S. Brennon will lecture of "A Trip to Panama" at the reception which the Anthony League will give this afternoon at 247 Columnia road.

Mrs. William Grosvenor, of Providence, R. I., is stopping at the Richmond. Mrs. George Hubbell and her daughter, Mrs. Hubbell Rowland, of Newbort, are guests of Japt. Tempin Newport, are guests of Capt. Tempin M. Potts, U. S. N., retired, and Mrs. Potts at the same hotel.

Congressman and Mrs. Charles Pennett Smith, of Buffalo, have come to Washington for the season, and have taken apartments at Congress Last evening Congressman and Smith entertained at dinner at the Williard in compliment to Miss Esther C. "Annie Laurie." Opening her program Davenport, of Buffalo, who is their house guest. Invited to meet Miss Daving and Bemberg, Mine, Meiba closed enport were the Postmaster General at with the sparking and the control of the contro Last evening Congressman and Mrs Smith entertained at dinner at the Wil

Mrs. Horace Mann Towner, wife of Congressman Towner, will be at home informally on January II, from 3 to 6. Those assisting her will be Mrs. Albert B. Cummings, Mrs. William S. Kenyon, Mrs. James W. Good, Mrs. William R. Green, Mrs. C. W. Ramsever, Mrs. Thomas J. Steele, and Mrs. Harry E. Hall.

Mrs. John Spotswood Garland and Miss Mary Truxtun Garland will be at home on Tuesday for the last time this searon. They will be assited by Mrs.

The Jun'or Auxiliary of Providence Hospital will give its annual tea dance at the Highlands on the afternoon of Laruary 22, from 4 until 7 o'clock. The proceeds will be for the benefit of the Providence Barnoms J. Walsh will preside at the Highlands on the afternoon of Jaruary 22, from 4 until 7 o'clock. The proceeds will be for the benefit of the Providence Day Nursey. The list of patronesses includes Mmc. Fezet. Mrs. Dixon. Mrs. John K. Shields, Mrs. Dixon. Mrs. John K. Shields, Mrs. Dixon. Mrs. John K. Shields, Mrs. Thomas J. Walsh will preside at the tea table, which will be decorated with red roses arranged in an artistic centerpiece. Others who will assist in receiving the guests will be Miss Mabel Stone, Miss Mary Temple, Mrs. Joseph Bytns, Mrs. Catherine Brant, and Mrs. Fred Dennett.

Dr. Rosalie Slaughter Morton, of New York, who came to Wash.

Mrs. Flood, wife of Congressman Flood, of Virginia, will receive today and again January 5, at the Shoreham, for the only times this season. Mrs. Flood will be assisted by Mrs. Charles S. Hamlin, Miss Lansing, Mrs. James Carroll Frazer, Mrs. Francis S. Nash Miss Carolyn Nash and Mrs. Richard Evelyn Byrd.

Mrs. Claude Swanson went to Bichmond vesterday to attend the funeral of il. W. Anderson. Mrs. Swanson has canceled all her social engagements for this week.

Miss Margaret Breekinridge will entertain a theater party this evening in convolument to Miss Thiele, who is a guest of the Secretary of War and Mrs. Carriscu. After the theater Miss Breekinridge and her guests will so to the Fencing Club for an informal dance.

Owing to illness Mrs. Mackay-Smith and the Misses Mackay-Smith will be unable to hold their reception on the afternoon of January 12.

Senator and Mrs. Hoke Smith and Miss Callie Hoke Smith have sent cut cards for a dance at Rauscher's on the evening of February 1.

Capt. Frank K. Hill. U. S. N., has cards out for a card party at the Metro-politan Club on the evening of January

Mrs. Josephus Daniels, wife, of the Secretary of the Navy, will be at home tomorrow from 3 to 6 o'clock, Receiving with her will be Mrs. J. Q. C. Beckham, Mrs. Robert N. Page, Mrs. Villiam Stevens, Mrs. Richard Olney 2nd., Mrs. Charles Crane, Mrs. W. C. Braisted, Mrs. Lipritt, Miss Edith Benham, Miss Katherine Hall, who is visiting Mrs. Lemuel Padgett: Miss Grace Overman, Miss Julia Scott, Miss Howe, Miss Irving, Miss Mary Cleaves Daniels and Miss Evelyn Jackson, who are house guests of Mrs. Daniels, her mother, Mrs. A. W. Bagley, and her sisters, the Misses Bagley.

Misses Bagley. Mrs. Frederick Dent Grant is spend-ing a few days at the Manhattan in

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Many Entertainments Are Planned by the Leaders of Society in Washington. Gossip of Hostesses.

liam F. New York. She will return to the Vir-Smith. Sinia Hot Springs next week. Mr. and Mrs. Woodbury Blair are in New York en route to Washington from Newbort.

Miss Marie Adams will entertain at a miss Mary Pose Pyrnes of Philadel-nida. A large, flat centerniece of pink nida. A large, flat centermece of min-roses will adorn the ten table. Assist-ing Miss Adams will be Miss Marie Tunstall and her bouse guest, Mrs. Shepard, Miss Marie Peary, Miss Helen Kimmell, Mrs. William C, Harlice, Miss Kimmell, Mrs. William C, Harlice, Miss ouise Foraker, Miss Anne Tuony, Miss lizabeth Crenshaw and Miss Virginia

MUSIC

Mme. Melfa's Song Recital Shows Her as True Artist In Realm

With much, applause and huge clus ters of American Heauty roses, Mme. Nellie Melba was welcomed back to Washington yesterday afternoon at Poli's Theater in a song recital that showed her as the true artist in the realm of opera, as the singer of the intricate songs of the Italy of coloraters of American Beauty roses, Mme Nellie Melba was welcomed back to intricate songs of the Italy of coloratura, and also as the giver of deep feet ing or of humor in the singing of songs. In all of these Mme. Meloa's art was pre-eminent. The fullest beauty of her voice was perhaps feit in the richness of the religious "Ave, Maria, from verd, s "Oteno," all in the miguie regis-ter, whie the "Audio" from "La Bu-heme" of Fuccim, displayed the artist of the varied gradations of gramatic color that bespoke the grama.

In grama appeal was left strongly in Mme. Melba's Scotch group, ner John Anderson, My Jo being full of Icening and contrasted broadly with the coy merriment of ner "Comin Thri't the

house guest. Invited to meet Miss Dayenport were the Postmaster General and
Mrs. Burleson and Miss Lucy Burleson.
They later occupied a box at the National for Mrs. Fiske's play, which was
dramatized by a Buffalo woman, Miss
Marion De Forest. Miss Davenport is
a well-known newspaper woman and
writer.

The marriage of Miss Eloise T. Woodbury, daughter of Mrs. Ella Woodbury,
to Robert Beckham, was solemnized on
Saturday evening at the Dumbarton
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song, the lovely "Songs My Mother
taught the song the lovely "Goodbye," and to
the insistent appliause she gave after
that, accompanying herself at the p-ano
most chairmingly, the "Mattinata" of
Tosti. Then as a final encore she added
Landon Ronaid's "Down in the Forest."
Assisting Mme. Meiba were Miss BeaAvenue Church, the Rev. Dr. Martin
tirc Harrison, the girted 'cellist's Air. to Robert Beckham, was solemnized on Saturday evening at the Dumbarton Avenue Church, the Rev. Dr. Martin officiating. The attractive bride wore a traveling suit of jark blue cloth made on modish lines, with a becoming hat, and carried a sheaf of yellow roses. Miss Gretchen Smith was maid of honor. Her costume was of black satin, beidest work yesterday was the mewith hat to match, and she wore high laced boots of bronze kid. She also cartied yellow roses. Jack Hill Mahers was best man, and the ushers were W. J. Kimball. Mr. Hammet, Mr. Livingston, and Nelson Oliver. After a short wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Backman will make their home in Baltimore.

Landon Ronaid's "Down in the Forest."

Apsisting Mme. Melba were Miss Beat and Satistically Mme. Melba were Miss Beat Trice Harrison, the girted 'cellist; Mr. Gaston Sargeant, bass, and Mr. Frank St. Leger, whose tone and understanding made real art works of his accompaniments. Miss Harrison is a charming made real art works of his accompaniments. Miss Harrison is a charming matched work yesterday was the meloidous and coorful "Vito" of Popper, which is intricacles and execution most ried yellow roses. Jack Hill Mahers were W. by Cesar Ct.l, and the "Preislied" Wagner-Becker), were most musically and freely given, to which she added and Saint Saens "Pavane." In the Elegie" of Faure and "Requiem" of Schumann her legate was effectively handled. Mr. Sargeant added to his songs of Henschel, German and d'Hardelot, the "Ram's Messenger" of Martin.

Lecture-Recitals of Fine Arts Society Are

The Washington Society of Fine Arts in offering its series of five lecture recitals by that most cultured and artistic tenor, Mr. Nicholas Douty, of Philadelphia, has made this the most successful of its three seasons in which music has been included in its various art courses, for at each of the three recitals given thus far the auditorium of the National Museum has been so filled that chairs have been placed in the aisles to meet the demands of the overflow. In the third of his series last evening on "The Song as an Art Form," which included those of Poland, Bohemia, Finland, Russia, and Scandinavia, Mr. Douty pointed out how the Ethnic or racial note pervaded all these writers in racial note pervaded all these writers in contrast to the universal note in the four great masters he has already touched upon, Beethoven, Schubert, Schumann, and Brahms, Letting the songs of each different nation portray its characteristics, Mr. Douty demon-strated what he called the exotic type of this music founded on the native folk music of each land, speaking each one a separate and national spirit.

Both as a singer and an interpreter, Nicholas Douty has much to contribute to the reglm of music. His songs are a real joy, but behind this lies what seems to be the very essence of their being. His mode of giving just a touch of information to them and to their composers greatly enchances their value, From Finland he brought one of the lovellest and one of the most interesting novelties, the Sibelius 'Dragon Fly,' told in darts, in declamation, in cadentold in darts, in declamation, in caden-zas with trills, an intricate and lovely thing, superbly rendered. The Cesar Cui "Slumber Song," with its indefinite un-dulations, the exquisite melody of Moussargsky's "Chant d'enfant," and his graphic tale of the drunken peas-ant woman who in all her gbandon had a moment of sentiment, all these told something new and of great worth.

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And in the foremost ranks of interpretation and vocal beauty in delineation was that song that has been called the most wonderful song ever written, "Die Larlelei," of Liszt. Chopin was given; others of the Neo-Russians, Tschaikowsky, Rachmaninoff, Sinding, and as a climax Grieg's "Im Kahne" and his masterful "Johannisnacht," to which was added de Fontanaille's "Obstination" with the singer at the piano.

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stination" with the singer at the piano Joseph Clarke played most musicianly accompaniments. J. MacB.

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JEAN ELIOT GOSSIPS **ABOUT CHARITY BALL**

Describes Handsome Gowns and Tells About Many Prominent Society Folk There.

By JEAN ELIOT.

The Charity Ball has come and the Charity Ball has gone, and as always it was a truly successful function. There were fewer people than usual, or so it seemed to me, which may have been undesirable from a financial point of view-charity balls may be given for various and sundry philanthropies, but "the" Charity Ball is always for the Children's Hospital-but it added no little to the comfort and pleasure of the guests. Moreover. I have seldom seen at a semi-public gathering so many distinguish-ed people or so many lovely gowns. There were dinners galore before-hand, so many of the guests arrived late; but by 11 o'clock the two great ball rooms were filled with member of the Diplomatic Corps, representa tives of officialdom, a number of the interesting visitors who are in Wash-ington this week, an dmen and maids

Handsome Gowas Seen.

Mrs. Horace Westcott, who headed the receiving line, was almost hidden behind a huge bunch of pink roses Her gown was green. Mrs. Charles C. Glover also wore green, grass green, striped in white and had an ermine buckles; Mrs. John Crayke Simpson, alhandsome letted gown of black velvet, and Mrs. Clarence Wilson a delightful costume of black satin. The skirt had a boutant drapery and I noted one particularly chie feature—I know it is chie, for Vogue says so—a black velvet ribbon worn about the neck and fastened at each side of the decoltage. Mrs. Wilkins carried a great black ostrich feather fau. Mrs. Joseph Leiter, who is or the board of the hospital and one of its most active workers, was not at the ball and everybody missed her.

missed her.

Let all the young people look to their laurels, say I, when Mrs. Lloyd Bower is about. She was just about the landsomest woman in the room. He lovely white hair was charmingly ar for a most original fan of stiff black and white quills, which opened into a mammoth affair. With her were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bell Sweeney, while numbers of men stopped to lean over the rail of her box for a bit of a chat.

feather far

Proving Great Success Gerald May and Beverly Sinclair.

In the Boxes. ' In the Victor Kauffmanns' box all he women were light colored gowns save Mrs. Harts, wife of Col. W. W.

in her box Or. and Mrs. Carr, Mr. Freeman Smith, of New York, and Mr. Constantinidi, secretary of the Mr. Constantinidi, secretary of the Greek legation. In Mme. Hauge's box were Justice and Mrs. Pitney, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Wallace, Missi Todd, Eames Mac-Veagh, and Van Ness Phillips.

Mrs. John F. Rodgers had with her in her box the Swedish Minister and Mme. Ekengren. Judge and Mrs. William Bailey Lamar, and John W. Davis, solicitor general.

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Mrs. Robert M. Thompson had a party in her box, including her daughter, Mrs. Stephen Pell, of New York, and Miss Julia Wood. Society Meets Madame Koo. The Chinese Minister and Madame Kon were guests at the ball, the little lady making a very fetching appearance in a gown typically occidental. This was the first time that Washington society folk have had the

opportunity to meet Madame Koo, and she nade a very pleasant impres-There were some truly lovely gowns Mrs. I. T. Mann wore a sapphire blue tuile built over cloth of silver. The bodice, mostly of cloth of silver, was embroidered in silver ribbon, with touches of blue. The skirt was banded

in general were very short—Miss Pau-line Kindleberger wore such a dainty frock on this order in a corral shade frock on this order in a corral shade that was most becoming—and by contrast some of the very evidently quite new gowns had long skirts, not trained, but just clearing the floor.

After this mode was Miss Elsie Downing's light colored frock and Mrs. Charles Rossire's black tulle. One charming woman, who was with Capt. and Mrs. Mark Bristol, had the bodice of her black tulle gown fastened al-

with the embroidered silver tissue. Skirts

of her black tulle gown fastened almost entirely of small white beads, with colored flowers of the beads. There were ever so many hoops, wec ones, just over the hips, and the new wrinkle of having the back of the decoltage veiled in tulle to the nape of the neck was ex-emplified in many pretty frocks. Miss Adelaide Heath's pink gown was done in this way, and so was Miss Margaret Howard's dainty frock of lavender and

Most Debutantes There.

Most of the Jebutantea were there Miss Jeannette Cowan, Miss Helen Blodgett, Miss Evelina Gleaves, Mary Carland, Miss Ruth Sesber, Miss Lillian Hendrick, Miss Catherine Harriow, Miss Dorothy Dennett, Miss Elite Leieune, and among the attractive debutantes of other seasons I noted were Miss Dorothy Deeble, Miss Mary Wheeler Vest, Miss Ruth Wilson, Miss Louise Clark, Miss Pocchontas Butler, Miss Alice Shepard and some more—lots more.

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Mr. and Mrs. Newbold Noyes were there, the first time I have seen the little lady at a party since her marriage. She was formerly Miss Alexandra Ewing. Dr. and Mrs. Larkin W. Glazebrook had their son, Larkin W. Glazebrook 't, with them. Miss Lucy Mackbrook had their son, Larkin W. Glaze-brook, ir. with them, Miss Lucy Mack-all and her cousin. Miss Louise Loving, were in a party with several young people; and Mirs Edith Cohen, in a white gown with a separate train of blue and gilver, looked positively radiast. Among the men were Capt. William Merry, Kent Roberts, Herbert Hengstler, Henry Dickson, Mr. Washburn, Dr. Heller, Congressman C. B. Stemp, James H. Dorman, M. Vouros, charge d'affaires of Greece, Charles Howe, Daingerfield Addison, Harris Franklin and Dr. Edmund Franklin.

There were decorations, the graceful palms and garlands of smilax, that set off so well the white walls and scarlet. paims and garianos of smills, that see off so well the white walls and scarlet draperies of scarlet of the big ball room. Supper was served in the dining room on the entrance floor and the music was furnished by two bands, the United States Marine Band in the gallery of the large ball room and the levited States Engineer Band at the United States Marine Band in the gallery of the large ball room and the United States Engineer Band at the entrance to the small ball room.

William B. Hibbs was chairman of the ball committee, and William Morrow, vice chairman. They had a large and efficient corps of aids. And, of course, we danced until the wee, small hours of the morning. At the Charity Ball we sliways do.

Church of Covenant Choir Gives "Messiah" With Art and Finish

From oratorio societies all over th country comes the announcement of the rendition of "The Messiah" of Handel as an annual Christmas event. For the first time in many years in this city this work of nigh aim and noble musi-Holds Miniature Court.

Mrs. William B. Hibbs, Mrs. George Howard, Mrs. Edgar Legg and Viscountess de Sibour were in the Hibbs tox early in the evening. Later came countess de Sibour were in the Hibbs tox early in the evening. Later came Miss Margaret Perin, and just at supper time the men of the party, several husbands and one or two odd ones. Miss Perin held a miniature court alievening. Her frock was black, white her mother, Miss. Howard, wore a sequined gown of pink that was most becoming with her gray hair. She had on a lovely string of pearls, which were among the few jewels I noted. Indeed, the fashionable feminine world would seem to be out of conceit with jewels just now. The only place where I have seen any great display of stones was at the White House. Miss Perin coquetted right prettily with her black ostrich feather fan. orchestral augmentation Miss Eleanora Morgan visited about Murray's rendering of the "Largo" and the boxes. For a time she was with the "Pastorale" were most impressive.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel H. Vandergrift. Mrs. Gawler lends light and shadow Mr. and Mrs. Samuel H. Vandergrift. As were Capt. and Mrs. Roscoe Bulmer, and later she foregathered with Pay Inspector and Mrs. John H. Merriam and much feeling to the soprano recitatives and arias of sacred works. With lams was wonderfully fetching in a tuile gown of an odd shade between corrait gown of an odd shade between corrait loice Greatly." with its tender finale of numbers of men who visited in the box during the course of the evening were for the course of the evening were for the course of the evening were for the course of the synday and Beverly Sinclair. quiet and case that was admirable, as was his phrasing. Most telling also was the pathos in his rendition of "Thy Rebuke Hath Broken His Heart' and "Behold, and See if There Be Any Sor-row." To the two lower voices is given some of the most difficult of oratorio

save Mrs. Harts, wife of Col. W. W. Harts, who waz in black. Mrs. Kaufmann wore white, Mrs. Albert L. Mills. White and silver—she has the lovetiest evening cloak, by the way, rose pink chiffon velvet trimmed with bands of gray fur—and Mrs. Timothy T. Ansberry was also in white.

Mr. Kauffmann, General Mills, Judge Ansberry, and Colonel Harts were also of the party. Later Mrs. Hampson Gary Joined them. Her gown was of silver lace over cloth ef silver, and she carried a white feather fan. Mrs. Kauffmann's fan was also white—I think she has one to match each costume.

Mrs. Charles N. Welsh entertained in her box Dr. and Sirs. Carr, Mr. Freeman Smith, of New York, and Mr. Constantinidi, secretary of the Charles Wood, pastor, presided.

BRIGHTER CHILDREN

Children are probably brighter to-day than a generation ago-but are they stronger? That's a grave question. So many pinched faces, dulled eyes and languid feelings make us wonder if they will ever grow into robust, healthy men and women.

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Negotiations For Purchase At Private Sale May Be Concluded This Week.

Negotiations for the purchase a private sale of the site for the new Eastern High School between Seven teenth and Nineteenth and East Cap itol and A streets northeast may be concluded this week. The price agreed upon, it is understood, is approximate

Following the dismissal of con-demnation proceedings brought by a jury composed of M. M. Parker, Au-lick Palmer, and Thomas Gordon, on the ground that its valuation of \$133,-433,43 was excessive, the Commissioners began negotiations for the pur-chase of the site at private sale. In comparison with the valuations made

comparison with the valuations made by the condemnation board, this method of acquisition will result in a saving to the District of approximate-iy \$23,000, it is said. The property comprises squares 1034, 1035, 1108, and 1109. They are assessed on a basis of \$52,029. It was impossible, however, it was stated, to secure the site at its as-sessed valuation, and rather than risk sessed valuation, and rather than rish a long Jelay in the erection of the building, the Commissioners, it is un-derstood, are willing to pay the price

derstood, are willing to pay the price named.
Congress appropriated \$150,000 to pay for the site. The condemnation board was appointed by Justice Anderson, of the District Supreme Court, March 17, and made its report August 20. The report was rejected by the Commissioners a month later.

HURT IN COLLISION: MAY NOT RECOVER

George M. DeMarr Injured In Collision Between Automobile Truck and Car.

George M. DeMarr, who was injured when a street car and automobile truck collided at New Jersey avenue and G street shortly after 12 o'clock last night, was reported in a precarious condition at Casualty Hospital this afternoon. Physicians said DeMarr's chances of recovery were slight.

The injured man, who is forty-eight years old, and has been stopping at 230

from Maryland, was thrown violently in an age when a youthful s to the ground, and fell into the path of a car. The motorman was unable to a car. The motorman was unable to apply the brakes in time to avert striking him, and he was seriously injured on head and body.

Clarence Carter, who was driving the automobile truck belonging to the Adams Express Company, was slightly injured.

Nowadays, though, we don't have the Nowadays, though we don't have the roundlesser troublesser task of gathering the sage and the mussy mixing at home. All drug stores sell the ready-to-use product called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound" for about 50 cents a bottle. It is very popular because nobody can

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shibition over the White Lot with his Blerlot monoplane at 2 o'clock this afternoon, for the benefit of the Washington Diet Kitchen Association, provided the atmosphere clears up.

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The new president of the Howard University Alumni Association, Dr. 8 Thompson, has formally assumed the duties of that office. The other of-ficers are: Dr. D. E. Wiseman, first vice president; E. L. Scott, second vice president: Mrs. O. M. Adams, third vice president; J. I. Nelson, fourth vice president; Prof. T. W. Tarner, fitth vice president; James Carter, sixth vice president; Miss E. E. Banion; seventh vice president; A. S. Pinkett, sec-retary; Prof. George W. Hines and E. W. Turner, assistant secretaries; Mrs. Alma G. Scott, treasurer; Numa P Adams, financial secretary; Dr. W. L. Smith, sergeant-at-arms.

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